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UPLIFTMENT OF EDUCATION IN RURAL AREAS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of proposals from the NGOs for the upliftment of education in rural areas are lying pending for clearance;

(b) if so, the details thereof, NGO-wise; and

(c) the steps taken to clear these proposals expeditiously?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI)

(a) t o (c): The Ministry of Human ResourceDevelopment provides financial assistance to the eligible Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) for various purposes including inter-alia upliftmento f education i n rural areas, under different Schemes. Receipt of proposals from NGOs, theirscrutiny and grant of financial assistance are continual processes. Generally, these proposals are considered b y Grants-in-Aid Committees(GIACs)set up under the provisions o f such schemes. The GIACs generally meet periodically to consider such proposals. Further steps are taken as per the recommendations of these Committees.